## Francestown Cemetery Commission

## 10 October 2013

Meeting called to order 10am.

Present: Polly Freese, Betsy Wiederhold and Ethel MacStubbs

Minutes of 8/8/13 meeting accepted as amended to read 150 instead of 1500!

## Treasurer's Report

Robblee Tree Service \$600. from Cem. Gen. Maint. Trust Fund, for removal of trees and pruning trees beside War Memorial, all in #1

Kaufhold \$225. from 4195-36, repair of 3 headstones in #2

Bryant Landscapes \$500. from Perpetual Care Trust Fund Interest, for 2013 grounds keeping of Perpetual Care Lots (to be handed over to Town Administrator who will forward w/ balance owed)

Polly Freese \$60. from 4195-07 for NHCA meeting fees for two

Cards created for Ada Hobbs and Guy Swenson burials.

Cards filled out for T.B. Taylor, Charles Lord, Carol Hill Faber and Joan Parker burials.

Polly will meet with George Morgan and Scott Carbee to explore how we can protect the old gravestones along the wall of #1 from gravel blown by snow blowing the sidewalk.

Gleaned from NHCA Meeting: a) Vandalism to grave sites can be claimed through some homeowners insurance. b) There is a Volunteer Service agreement in RSAs we will locate for future use. c) Issues of columbarium and green burials explored.

2014 Budget thoughts: Drop the line item 4195-10 Travel Reimbursement, \$50. and add it to 4195-07 Professional Development bringing it from \$100. to \$150.

Ethel will talk with Mary Lindstrom regarding corner markers and her pictures of the cemeteries for possible creation of cards for our use. Also the Terry's daughter and Gilcrest regarding corner markers.

Respectfully submitted, E.B. MacStubbs, Secretary